

If there is anything you do not quite understand, I shall be happy to explain as far as I am able. The jury retired, and were absent for thirty-five minutes. On resuming their places in the box the Registrar asked whether they had agreed as to their verdict.

The Foreman—Yes, the verdict of the jury by a majority of four to three is that the defendant is Not Guilty.

His Lordship—There is no other charge against you, Mr. Fraser-Smith.

TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, November 30th.
RECEPTION OF THE CROWN PRINCE OF GERMANY AT MADRID.

The Emperor of Germany has telegraphed to the King of Spain thanking him for his cordial reception of the Imperial Prince of Germany at Madrid, and assuring him of his lifelong friendship.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

H.B.M.'s gunboat *Cockchafer* was at Chefoo on the 22nd instant.

OWING to pressure on our space we have been compelled to hold over our editorial on the recent libel case until Monday.

WE hear that a reinforcement of the United States Navy in Chinese waters is contemplated, and that the work in the U. S. Navy yards on the vessels under repair is being rapidly pushed forward.

WILLIAM WALLACE, of Jamaica, an unemployed steward, was this morning fined a dollar or 4 days' hard labor, and ordered to pay \$5 compensation to the complainant, or undergo a further 14 days, for assaulting a Chinese prostitute in a brothel yesterday evening. The man with the historic cognomen was assigned quarters in the Government hotel, as a temporary measure.

WE beg to draw the attention of our readers to the performance of "Our Boys" to be given at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, this evening, by the Lotus Troupe. Byron's comedy was a great success in London, and was played nightly for over five years at the Vaudeville Theatre in the Strand. The play abounds in amusing situations and sparkling dialogue, and as the Lotus Troupe will do it every justice, we expect to enjoy a rare treat and see a large audience assembled.

AN ex-lukong named Chung Wan Lok, convicted this morning before Mr. Woodhouse of being one of a crowd that assaulted Chinese water-pole constable 444 with iron bars and poles on the 26th ult. in Square Street, in consequence of his proceeding to arrest them for gambling in the street, was fined \$25, or three weeks' hard labor, and ordered to find two sureties of \$25 each to be good for his behavior for six weeks; in default, to be committed for an additional three weeks. The ex-peace-preserver went in for a month and a half.

THE following rumour, evidently unfounded, is published in the Shanghai *Mercury* of the 27th inst.—It was reported in the Settlement this afternoon that the French had captured Banchin with heavy loss. It was a general rumour and was much talked about, but we failed to trace the news to a reliable source. Banchin is the place mentioned in a telegram from Hongkong dated the 22nd November, and the *Mercury* was said to have declared that the *Mercury* by the French would be *caus belli*.

SAVES the Shanghai *Mercury* of the 27th inst.—The troops brought by the steamer *Kiangyue* from Wuhu were on Sunday afternoon transferred to their arms, &c., to the steamship *Hwaiyuen* as passengers, no notice whatever being taken of the transference of arms. The steamers *Leyuen*, *Yehsin* and *Fushun* are to take about 4,000 men and arms for the south. All rifles at the Arsenal are to be packed, ready for shipment south. We also hear that a number of Germans are engaged to proceed with the Chinese army of occupation on the frontier.

THE old lessee of the Hongkong Hotel vacated the premises last night at midnight, and the new manager and staff took charge. The difficulties surrounding such a change are not apparent to the ordinary mortal, and it says much for the ability of those in charge that the transition was made without causing the slightest inconvenience to the resident boarders, and that the breakfast was ready to be served at the usual hour this morning. One of the most experienced "San Francisco" hotel keepers has assumed the reins of government, and there can be little doubt that after the alterations to the building are completed, and when the repairs and alterations are completed, we hope to be able to inspect the building and give the public the benefit of our survey. A really first-class hotel is a desideratum in Hongkong, and we do not see why such an institution, properly worked, should not pay handsome dividends on the capital invested.

THE new Victoria Hotel on Praya Central was formally opened this morning by Messrs. Dumble and Hingkee, late lessees of the Hongkong Hotel. The proprietors of the new hotel are evidently determined to leave no stone unturned to make their enterprise a success. The building has undergone extensive alterations, and appears to be in every way suited for hotel purposes. The dining room is a large, airy apartment, overlooking the harbour, and the sleeping rooms, sitting rooms, parlour and library are satisfactory in size and situation. On the basement floor are four billiard tables, and the "bar." During the day the billiard room has the benefit of a good light from three sides of the building, and when we paid our visit this morning the "bar" was enjoying the refreshment of the comely countenance of a young lady, who was seated in state behind the mahogany protection, ready to give you what you wish to imbibe. The bar-maid system is not altogether new to Hongkong, and we are certain that customers' wants will be better attended to by the bar boys being superintended by a smart and dashing young lady who knows how many blue beads it takes to make five white ones, "Pan," that well-known and amiable individual who has managed the bar and billiard room of the Hongkong Hotel for the past eight years, and who was so much part and parcel of the establishment that we thought he was "let" with the furniture and fixtures, has accompanied his old "bosons" to their new establishment, and there can be no doubt that Dan's extensive connection both in town and amongst the shipping will materially help to swell the takings. To-day being the opening day, "free drinks" have been the rule, and many "deadheads" whose funds are in an unhealthy condition have paid their respects at the newly opened hotel. Should the quality of the liquors be kept up to the highest standard, as they ought to be, we feel sure that from their excellent position on the Praya, and their long connection with hotel business in the colony, Messrs. Dumble and Hingkee will be accorded a fair share of public patronage.

THE Russian gunboat *Sokol* arrived at Chefoo on the 22nd inst., and left on the 24th, en route to Tientsin to winter there.

LI AUN, a carpenter, was up this morning before both magistrates, charged with stealing \$19 in silver from the person of a farmer named Fong Sök Tuk, on the 29th ult. The evidence was as clear as day that the carpenter was the veritable appropriator of the farmer's Mexican, but having stated in his defence that it was impossible he could run—as it was alleged he did—as he had been recently run over by a ricksha, he was sent to the Colonial Surgeon to be examined. Dr. Ayres said that there was nothing wrong with the fellow's ankle, and that he was trying to impose on their Worship. The cunning one, who feigned dead lameness, was sent up for a year, with hard labor.

INSPECTOR QUINCY and Sergeant Butlin raided a Tze Fa lottery gambling agency yesterday afternoon in Kat Sing Lane, and arrested the man who was conducting the swindle, one Li Aun, a ship-packer, who was brought before Captain Thompson at the Police Court this morning, and fined \$200 or six months' hard labor. The coin not being forthcoming, Li was assigned free board and lodgings in the "Retreat" until the 1st June, 1884. Quincy stated that he had been watching the house for weeks of a month, proving that he possesses the gifts of patience and perseverance in no ordinary degree. The gambling paraphernalia and money found in the house were ordered to be forfeited to the Crown.

FOOCHOW RACES.

WINTER MEETING.

FIRST DAY.—THURSDAY, 13TH DECEMBER, 1883.
THE STWARDS CUP, (Presented); value \$100; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. Half a Mile.
Mr. John Peel's gr. First Flight 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Harding's sp. Pugnacity 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Major Bagstock's gr. Wild Wail 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. Belmore's sp. Stray Shot 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. St. Andrew's dun Merry Monk 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Major Bagstock's gr. Wild Wail 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. Belmore's gr. Magician 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. St. Andrew's dun Merry Monk 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Pall Mall 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Bill's gr. Allegro 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. York's gr. Strathpeffer 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. York's gr. Sokol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. York's gr. Flying Fox 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. York's gr. Ecarte 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

THE MAIDEN STAKES, of \$25 each with \$100 added; for all China Ponies that have never run at any meeting; weights as per scale. Three Quarters of a Mile.
Mr. Bill's gr. Risoluto 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. St. Andrew's skew. Fibroch 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. Ten Brock's roan Wild Spot 12hds. 2in. 10st. 9lbs.

Mr. Ten Brock's ch. Wild Fool 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. Marmion's gr. Chester 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. Siberian's roan Mongol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. O'w's br. Houlet 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Major Bagstock's ch. Thrown Away 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Major Bagstock's br. Gone Astray 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

THE COMPROMISE CUP, (Presented); value \$50; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; entrance \$10. Two Miles.
Mr. Edmund's br. Muffi 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Cabell's roan Lucifer 12hds. 2in. 10st. 9lbs.
Mr. York's gr. Strathpeffer 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Belgravia 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. St. Andrew's ch. Red Robin 13hds. 2in. 11st. 6lbs.

Mr. St. Andrew's gr. Bandsman 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Bill's ch. Andantino 13hds. 2in. 11st. 7lbs.

THE HACK STAKES, of \$10 each with \$50 added; for all China Ponies not otherwise entered at this meeting except for the Cosmopolitan Cup; to be ridden by jockeys who have never won a race; weights 7lbs. over weight for inches. Half a Mile.
Mr. O'w's roan Piquet 13hds. 2in. 11st. 3lbs.

Mr. Harding's gr. Creedmore 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Pretension 13hds. 2in. 11st. 5lbs.

Mr. Jones b. Glory (late Ichabod) 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Barley's gr. Symphony 13hds. 2in. 11st. 5lbs.

THE STAND STAKES, of \$10 each with \$50 added; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale. Three Quarters of a Mile.
Mr. Belmore's gr. Magician 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. Belmore's sp. Stray Shot 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Major Bagstock's gr. Wild Wail 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. Siberian's roan Mongol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. St. Andrew's dun Merry Monk 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. St. Andrew's gr. Jolly Friar 13hds. 2in. 11st. 7lbs.
Mr. O'w's gr. Hickory 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. O'w's gr. La Rose 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Pall Mall 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. John Peel's gr. First Flight 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Bill's gr. Allegro 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. Bill's b. Second Violin 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. York's gr. Strathpeffer 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. York's gr. Sokol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. Mahley's gr. Reverse 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

THE HACKMAN CUP, (Presented); value \$20; for all China Ponies that have never run previous to this meeting; weights as per scale; winners of the Maiden Stakes 7lbs. extra; entrance \$5. One Mile.
Mr. St. Andrew's skew. Fibroch 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. Siberian's roan Mongol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. Bill's ch. Thrown Away 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Major Bagstock's br. Gone Astray 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Ten Brock's roan Wild Spot 12hds. 2in. 10st. 9lbs.

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Mr. O'w's br. Houlet 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. Marmion's gr. Chester 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. Bill's gr. Risoluto 13hds. 2in. 11st. 7lbs.
THE HONGKONG CUP, (Presented); value \$200; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winner of the Compromise Cup 7lbs. extra; entrance \$10. One Mile and a Half.
Mr. Belmore's sp. Stray Shot 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. St. Andrew's gr. Bandsman 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. St. Andrew's gr. Jolly Friar 13hds. 2in. 11st. 7lbs.
Mr. St. Andrew's ch. Red Robin 13hds. 2in. 11st. 6lbs.
Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Pall Mall 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Delgravia 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. York's gr. Strathpeffer 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. Harding's sp. Pugnacity 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

SECOND DAY.—FRIDAY, 14TH DECEMBER.
THE RACING STAKES, of \$10 each with \$50 added; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winner of the Stewards Cup 7lbs. extra; of the Stand Stakes 10lbs. extra; if of both 14lbs. extra; previous non-starters 7lbs. extra. Three Quarters of a Mile.
Mr. O'w's gr. La Rose 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. O'w's gr. Flying Fox 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. O'w's gr. Ecarte 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Major Bagstock's gr. Wild Wail 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.

Mr. St. Andrew's skew. Fibroch 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. St. Andrew's dun Merry Monk 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Belmore's gr. Magician 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. Belmore's sp. Stray Shot 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Siberian's roan Mongol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.
Mr. Bill's bay Second Violin 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Bill's gr. Allegro 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. York's gr. Strathpeffer 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. York's gr. Sokol 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. John Peel's gr. First Flight 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Mahley's gr. Reverse 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. Ten Brock's gr. Pall Mall 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

THE CHAASZ CUP, (Presented); value \$50; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winner of the Compromise or Hongkong Cup 7lbs. extra; if of both 10lbs. extra; entrance \$10. Two Miles.
Mr. Harding's sp. Pugnacity 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. Cabell's ro. Lucifer 12hds. 2in. 10st. 9lbs.
Mr. Belmore's gr. Magician 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. St. Andrew's ch. Red Robin 13hds. 2in. 11st. 6lbs.
Mr. St. Andrew's gr. Bandsman 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Edmund's br. Muffi 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.
Mr. York's gr. Strathpeffer 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

Mr. Bill's ch. Andantino 13hds. 2in. 11st. 7lbs.
THE LOTTERY CUP, value \$150; Second Pony \$50; for all China Ponies that have never run previous to this meeting; weights as per scale; entrance \$5. One Mile and a Half.

Major Bagstock's ch. Thrown Away 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Major Bagstock's br. Gone Astray 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

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THE COSMOPOLITAN CUP, (Presented); value \$100; for all China Ponies; weights as per scale; winners 7lbs. extra; entrance \$5. Three Quarters of a Mile.
Mr. St. Andrew's dun Merry Monk 13hds. 2in. 11st. 4lbs.

Mr. Mahley's gr. Reverse 13hds. 2in. 11st. 11lb.
Mr. O'w's gr. Flying Fox 13hds. 2in. 11st. 12lbs.

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No. 575.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1883.

SIX DOLLARS PER QUARTER.

For Sale.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
HAVE RECEIVED A CONSIGNMENT

BEART'S CHOICE SUFFOLK

BREAKFAST

BACON,

HAMS

AND

BATH CHAPS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, 28th November, 1883. [340]

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Mortgagee, to Sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY,

the 8th December, 1883, at 3 O'CLOCK P.M., at the Premises,
A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, SITUATE IN
THIRD STREET & HIGH STREET,
Victoria, Hongkong.

All that Piece of GROUND registered as INLAND LOT No. 685, and measuring on the North 105 feet, on the South 105 feet, on the East 150 feet and on the West 150 feet, and containing in the whole 15,750 square feet, together with the Buildings thereon. Held for the residue of a term of 999 years at the annual Crown Rent of \$104.12.

The Property is sold subject to the existing tenancies thereof.
For Further Particulars and Conditions of Sale, apply to

CREASY EWENS,
Solicitor for the Mortgagee,
or to

J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, 27th November, 1883. [884]

PUBLIC AUCTION.

MR. J. M. GUEDES has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 11th December, 1883, at 2.30 O'CLOCK P.M., at the Premises,
A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, SITUATE IN ROZARIO STREET AND BRIDGES STREET, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong.

Comprising:
All those Pieces or Parcels of GROUND Registered in the Land Office as Section A of INLAND LOT No. 403, the Remaining Portion of INLAND LOT No. 403 and Section C of INLAND LOT No. 400, as the same Premises are respectively held for the residue of two several and respective terms of 999 years and 999 years.

The Property will be offered for sale in the following lots, viz:—
Lot 1—The Tenement Nos. 78, 80, and 82, Bridges Street, containing an area of 2,800 square feet or thereabouts.

Lot 2—The Tenement Nos. 6 and 7, Rozario Street, containing an area of 1,445 square feet or thereabouts.

Lot 3—The Tenement No. 31, Bridges Street, containing an area of 609 square feet or thereabouts.

The Property is sold subject to the existing tenancies thereof respectively.
For Further Particulars of the Property and Conditions of Sale, apply to

BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON,
Solicitors for the Vendors,
35, Queen's Road,
Hongkong,
or to

J. M. GUEDES,
Auctioneer,
Hongkong.

Hongkong, 29th November, 1883. [890]

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

FROM THIS DATE we will also carry on the Business of SHARE and GENERAL BROKERS in this Colony.

ECA DA SILVA & Co.,
General Commission Agents
and Auctioneers.

Hongkong, 30th November, 1883. [891]

NOTICE.

FROM this date Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. will conduct our Business at this Port, and all Communications should be addressed to them. Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. will also act as Agents at this Port for our line of Steamers.

GEORGE STEVENS & Co.

Hongkong, 1st August, 1883. [806]

To be Let.

TO LET.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us, No. 11, Queen's Road Central,
For further Particulars, apply to Messrs. RUSSELL & Co.

GEORGE STEVENS & Co.
Hongkong, 1st August, 1883. [807]

TO LET.

"DISNEY VILLA" Polkloom, Furnished.
No. 4, SEYMOUR TERRACE.
Apply to
DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.
Hongkong, 7th November, 1883. [79]

Insurances.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000, EQUAL \$833,333.33.
RESERVE FUND.....\$70,858.27.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
LEE SING, Esq., Chairman. LEE YAT LAU, Esq.
LO YUOK MOON, Esq., CHU CHIK NUNG, Esq.

MANAGER—HO AMEL.

MARINE RISKS ON GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the world.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.
Hongkong, 1st September, 1882. [670]

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD OF UNDERWRITERS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

RECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [470]

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS of the above Company are prepared to grant Policies on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the world at CURRENT RATES.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 3rd November, 1883. [827]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

(CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.)

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES ON GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

WOO LIN YUEN,
Secretary.

HEAD OFFICE,
No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.
Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [106]

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000.00.
PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tls. 130,000.00.
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 318,235.56.

TOTAL CAPITAL and ACCUMULATIONS, 31st March, 1883.....Tls. 968,235.56.

DIRECTORS.
F. D. HITCH, Esq., Chairman.
C. LUCAS, Esq., WM. MEYERINK, Esq.,
A. J. M. INVERARY, Esq., G. H. WHEELER, Esq.

HEAD OFFICE—SHANGHAI.
Messrs. RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries.

LONDON BRANCH.
Messrs. BARRING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent,
68 and 69, Cornhill, E.C.

POLICIES granted on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.

Subject to a charge of 12 per cent. for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS of the UNDERWRITING BUSINESS are annually distributed among all Contributors of Business (whether Shareholders or not) in proportion to the premia paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, 25th May, 1883. [83]

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

A SECOND and FINAL BONUS of Five per cent. on Contributions and a DIVIDEND OF EIGHTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY-NINE CENTS per SHARE for the year 1882, will be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd instant.

Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date.
By Order of the Board,
DOUGLAS JONES,
Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, 22nd October, 1883. [794]

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

GOOD BORDEAUX CLARET in Cases of 1 doz. Quarts at.....\$3.50.
WOLFE SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS in Cases of 12 Bottles at.....\$6.00.

ALSO,
Some PRIME HOLLAND Jenever in Stone Bottles, and some POMERANZEN BITTERS.

Double Barreled Breech Loading GUNS, RIFLES, REVOLVERS, CARTRIDGES, and SHOT, &c., &c., &c.

Very Fresh ITALIAN CONDENSED MILK in Cases of 4 Dozens, at \$4.50 per Case.

J. F. SCHEFFER,
21 and 23, FORTING STREET.
Hongkong, 16th November, 1883. [862]

FOR SALE.

G. H. MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.

Quarts.....\$22 per Case.
Pint.....\$21 per Case.

Apply to
MELCHERS & Co.
Hongkong, 2nd March, 1882. [8]

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE AND PORTER.

DAVID CORSAIR & SONS' MERCHANT NAVY BOILED LONG FLAX CANVAS.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, 15th June, 1881. [469]

Intimations.

W. BREWER.

HAS LATELY RECEIVED.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR CARDS IN GREAT VARIETY.
LETT'S DIARIES FOR 1884.

GOLDEN CLOUD TOBACCO.
OLD JUDGE TOBACCO.
AMERICAN and RUSSIAN CIGARETTES.
CIGARETTE and CIGAR CASES in great variety.
THE SMOKERS SET in Glass.
GROTESQUE BRASS ASH TRAYS.

NEW PHOTO FRAMES for Promenade Photographs.
EASEL PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS.
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS in great variety and at all Prices.
POCKET BOOKS, PURSES, CARD CASES and BLOTTERS in all kinds of Leathers.
A Quantity of NOVELTIES in PLUSH and BRASS GOODS.

NEW MECHANICAL TOYS.
W. BREWER,
QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, 6th November, 1883. [784]

EX S.S. "IRAOUADY" & "GLENEAGLES."

ROSE & CO.

ARE NOW SHOWING A CHOICE AND ELEGANT ASSORTMENT

OF

MANTLES, JACKETS, ULSTERS,

DRESS MATERIALS

AND

OTHER GOODS SUITABLE FOR THE SEASON.

ALSO

A NEW DELIVERY OF

FELT AND BEAVER HATS.

Hongkong, 10th November, 1883.

ROSE & Co.,

31 AND 33, QUEEN'S ROAD.

[716]

UNDER the heading "Exhibits to the Cork Exhibition, Ireland," "THE CORK CONSTITUTION, No. 13,025, dated Saturday, July 14th 1883, says:—

MESSRS. TURNBULL JUNR. & SOMERVILLE,

"Valletta, Malta, exhibit in a tastefully arranged case, samples of their famous 'Kaiser-I-Hind' Cigarettes, and inasmuch as a revolution in the habit of smoking is now setting in, this exhibit should prove attractive to all lovers of the 'fragrant weed'. Instead of strong Tobacco, often used in too strong pipes and full flavoured Cigars, the mild Cigarette is rapidly coming into vogue. Those now on view in the Exhibition are highly spoken of by the Press, vendors, and smokers."

SOLE AGENCY,

"NOVELTY STORE,"

MARINE HOUSE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, 26th September, 1883. [731]

SAYLE & CO'S

SHOW ROOMS.

WE INTEND MAKING A SPECIAL SHOW

TO-MORROW!

AND FOLLOWING DAYS

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S CHEAP TRIMMED AND UNTRIMMED, FELT,

BEAVER, AND STRAW HATS,

JUST LANDED EX "GLENARTNEY."

SAYLE & CO.,

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 21st November, 1883. [730]

KELLY & WALSH'S

SELECTED LIST OF WORKS OF REFERENCE.

CRABBE'S English Synonyms.
Rogge's Thesaurus of English Words.
Brewer's Dictionary of Phrase and Fable.
Bartlett's Shakespeare Phrase Book.
Every Man his own Lawyer.
Stanton's Chess Player's Hand Book.
Companion.
Anderson's Mercantile Letters.
Scott's Shipowner's Telegraph Code, with Supplement.
Wetmore's Commercial Telegraph Code, specially adapted for the China Trade.
Oliver's Manual of Shipping Law.
Hill's Manual of Social and Business Forms.
Tate's Modern Cambrist.
Collins' History, Law and Practice of Banking.
Money on Tea Culture and Tea.
Clark's Manual of Rules, Tables and Data for Mechanical Engineers.
Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, 1883.
Edition.
Ogilvie's Imperial Dictionary, 5 vols. Imp. 8vo.
Chamber's Etymological Dictionary.
Routledge's Desk Dictionary, (a tiny, but very complete volume, portable enough for the waistcoat pocket.)

Ogilvie's Smaller English Dictionary—the best 32 Dictionary in the market.
Greener's The Gun and its development, with notes on Shooting.
Stonhenge's The Modern Sportsman's Gun and Rifle.
Youatt on the Horse.
Day's The Race Horse in Training.
Captain Hay's Horse Training and Management.
Captain Hay's Riding on the Flat and across Country.
Hopkin's Manual of Marine Insurance.
Society Small Talk.
Manners and Tone of Good Society.
Etiquette of Good Society.
Cavalry on What to Do on Billiards.
Hayley's Book of Games.
Wat's Graceful Riding.
Pitman's Complete System of Phonography.
Marble's Theory and Practice of Banking.
Kwong Ki Chin's Dictionary of English Phrases.
Carden's Condensed Encyclopedia and Hand Book of Information.
Gospi's The Chess Player's Manual.

JUST LANDED.

MASON AND HAMLIN ORGANS.
Specially Manufactured for the Climate. We offer these instruments for the same prices at which they are sold in America. Illustrated Price Lists on application.

KELLY & WALSH—SOLE AGENTS.

KELLY & WALSH—HONGKONG.

Hongkong, 14th November, 1883. [560]

Consignees.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship "CITY OF RIO DE JANEIRO," the above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

F. E. FOSTER,
Agent.
Hongkong, 26th November, 1883. [1]

Intimations.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS having any CLAIMS AGAINST DR. VON DER HORCK are requested to send full particulars of the same to the Undersigned.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.
Hongkong, 30th November, 1883. [896]

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO COMPANY.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE BRITISH NORTH BORNEO IMMIGRATION OFFICE has been REMOVED to No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, lately occupied by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company.

FREDERICK RICKARDS.
Hongkong, 30th November, 1883. [892]

INTIMATION.

SIGNOR ANTONIO CATTANEO, of the CONSERVATOIRE DE BERGAMO and late of the ROYAL ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY, has the honor to inform the community that he has arranged to remain in Hongkong, and will give lessons in Music, Singing and the Pianoforte.

CHARGES STRICTLY MODERATE.
Address—Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Queen's Road.
Hongkong, 1st March, 1883. [168]

ROYAL YORK-HOTEL,
OLD STYNE, BRIGHTON, ENGLAND.

THE above HOTEL is Centrally situated, with Suitable Rooms and ample accommodation for travellers, especially those coming from Eastern Climates. FAMILIES and GENTLEMEN will find every comfort they can wish for at the above establishment.

A. HOADLY,
Proprietor.

"CLARIDGE'S HOTEL,"
BROOK STREET, LONDON, W.

THE above is a Commodious and Suitable HOTEL for FAMILIES and GENTLEMEN going home from the Far East. It is under the direct able Management of Mr. and Mrs. GEORGE PRAGNELL who spare no pains in providing their visitors with every possible comfort.

A CARD.

PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING can be obtained for SINGLE GENTLEMEN, OR MARRIED COUPLES AT
No. 6, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST.
Next Door to the Temperance Hall.
Terms Moderate.

Hongkong, 10th July, 1883. [552]

C. L. THEVENIN,
WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT,
HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDINGS,
HAS FOR SALE.

A FINE ASSORTMENT
OF
WHITE AND RED
BURGUANDIES,
GRAND HERMITAGE,
CHAMBERTIN, POMMARD,

RICHEBOURG, CHABLIS, Pils and Quarts.

OLD PORT, SHERRY, WHISKEY, COGNAC.

ASSORTED
LIQUORS AND SYRUPS,
PERFUMERY,
&c., &c., &c.

Hongkong, 17th October, 1883. [780]

RODERICK DHU WHISKY.

A PURE Fine Flavoured Blend, Equal in Bouquet and Style to the FINEST FRENCH BRANDY.

SOLE AGENT FOR HONGKONG,
C. L. THEVENIN,
Hongkong Hotel Building,
Hongkong, 19th October, 1883. [787]

CHS. J. GAUPP & CO.
CHRONOMETER, WATCH, AND CLOCKMAKERS.

JEWELLERS, SILVER-SMITHS, AND OPTICIANS.

CHARTS AND BOOKS.

NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS.

SOLE AGENTS
for Louis Audemars' Watches; awarded the highest Prizes at every Exhibition; and for Voigtlander and Sohn's CELEBRATED OPERA GLASSES, MARINE GLASSES, AND SPYGLASSES.

No. 38, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. [478]

WILLIAM SCHMIDT & CO.
GUNMAKERS & AMMUNITION DEALERS.

"BLACKFIELD ARCADE."

Arms, Ammunitions, and Regulators of every description.

Arms Repaired, Cleaned, or Converted at moderate charges.

Sporting Guns and Ammunition always on hand.

J. M. GUEDES,
HOUSE AND LAND BROKER,
AUCTIONEER, AND COMMISSION AGENT.

No. 49, WILKINSON STREET, HONGKONG.
Hongkong, 2nd January, 1882. [1]

Shipping.

STEAMERS.

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA, VIA AMOY.

THE Company's Steamship

"DIAMANTE,"

Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above Ports, on MONDAY, the 3rd December, at FIVE P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 30th November, 1883. [894]

THE AUSTRALASIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND STRAITS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE, VIA SINGAPORE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND and TASMANIAN PORTS, NEW CALEDONIA and Fiji.)

THE Steamship

"SUEZ,"

Captain Dodd, will be despatched as above, on TUESDAY, the 4th December, at FOUR P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 10th November, 1883. [890]

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALEDONIA, TASMANIA and Fiji.)

THE Eastern and Australian Steamship Company's Steamer

"MENMUIR,"

Captain W. Ellis, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 14th December, at FOUR P.M.

Parcels (all of which must be sent to our Office) will be received up to 4 P.M., on the 13th December.

Contents and Value of Packages must be declared.